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Applicant: Lester Sussman
Appn. Title: System and Method for a Complete and Convenient Shopping
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At: Bethesda, MD

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The applicant consequently reviewed the status of his application on the online public PAIR web site. Applicant was surprised to note that the examiner's office had mailed (a) "Mail Notice of Informal or Non-Responsive Amendment" dated 02/05/2004 and (b) "Mail Abandonment for Failure to Respond to Office Action" dated 04-20-2004 (see attached copy of the recent PAIR printout).

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Very respectfully,
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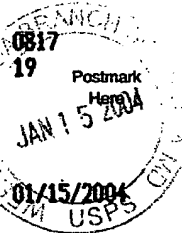


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02-04-2004	Date Forwarded to Examiner
01-16-2004	Informal or Non-Responsive Amendment after Examiner Action
01-16-2004	Response after Non-Final Action
01-16-2004	Request for Extension of Time - Granted
09-25-2003	Mail Non-Final Rejection
09-12-2003	Non-Final Rejection
07-21-2003	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
05-14-2003	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
10-03-2002	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
04-23-2002	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
07-13-2001	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
05-08-2001	Application Dispatched from OIPE
03-13-2001	Application Is Now Complete
03-29-2001	IFW Scan & PACR Auto Security Review
03-13-2001	Notice Mailed--Application Incomplete--Filing Date Assigned
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